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PETITION TO REVIVE UNINTENTIONALLY ABANDONED APPLICATION

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Applicant respectfully requests the revival of the above-identified patent application under 37 CFR §1.137(b) as being unintentionally abandoned for failure to pay the issue fee due on April 27, 2006, pursuant to the Notice of Allowance mailed January 27, 2006.

Abandonment of this application was unintentional, and the entire delay in filing the present application from due date for the reply until the filing of this Petition was unintentional.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the Petition Fee of \$1,500.00 (large entity) due under 37 CFR §1.17(m), and any other fees which may be due, to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Accompanying the Petition is Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85, with payment of the issue fee of \$1,700.00. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

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The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at 281-213-8980 to resolve any questions which may remain.

Respectfully submitted, STEPHEN A. CANTERBURY By his Representatives, SCHWEGMAN, LUNDBERG, WOESSNER & KLUTH, P.A. P.O. Box 2938 Minneapolis, MN 55402 281-213-8980 Date May 31, 2006 Andrew DeLizio Reg. No. 52,806 CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being filed using the USPTO's electronic filing system EFS-Web, and is addressed to: MS PETITIONS, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 31 day of May, 2006. PETER REBUFFONI Name